

PERSONALS.

Mrs. L. W. Rash and daughter Hope of Barton Landing, have been spending a few days at her brother's, Myles S. Gilman.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Crocker, Jr., and daughter Ruth are spending the summer in Barnstable, Mass., Mr. Crocker's former home.

Prof. and Mrs. Charles D. Hazen of Northampton, Mass., visited his parents here last week. After the Smith College commencement they will sail for Europe and spend the summer in Paris.

Judge Henry C. Ide will receive the honorary degree of LL. D., at the Tufts College commencement today and is one of the speakers at the alumni dinner. Carroll D. Wright, the head of the labor bureau, and Hon. C. H. Darling of Bennington, now assistant secretary of the navy, will receive similar degrees and speak at the dinner.

Former St. Johnsbury people are all re-elected to positions in the Burlington schools. C. E. Putney and Miss May Russell will teach in the Edmunds high school and J. H. Humphrey will be the teacher of vocal music in all the schools.

Mrs. Crawford Ranney left Friday for Boston, where she will spend a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. C. H. Lingham, stopping a short time at Manchester, N. H., en route.

Miss Alice M. Parkhurst assisted in Miss Fannie M. Spencer's store during her special sale last week.

Wells M. Badger, of Barre, a former resident here, met with a serious accident while changing cars when returning from Binghamton, N. Y., recently. The train which he was to take was just coming into the station as he got off from the train from Binghamton, and he attempted to board it before it had stopped. He was thrown back against an engine which was passing slowly at the time, knocking him down but fortunately not under the wheels. He suffered no serious pain at the time but after reaching his home he was troubled with a pain in his side, and it was found two ribs were broken and other injuries are feared. He was called home from Binghamton by his wife's death.

Mrs. Albion Bartlett from Lynn, Mass., is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. Sault.

John L. Grady has been spending a few days with his aged parents at Coaticook, Canada.

On Friday evening a pleasant reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Henderson to extend a welcome to Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Woods and son, Frank Woods, who have recently moved to this place from Passumpsic. Rev. C. R. B. Dodge gave a short address of welcome, which was responded to by Mr. Woods. Quite a number were present from Passumpsic.

Mrs. H. D. Green from Albany, N. Y., is at the Athenaeum House, where she will spend a part of the summer.

Miss Rebecca Burton has been spending a few days at her home at Milby, P. Q., returning Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Oscar Story from Hillsboro Bridge, N. H., are expected today to spend a few days at his sister's, Mrs. H. A. Stanley.

Miss Florence J. May, who has been employed for the past few months at Newark, N. J., has returned to her home here.

Mrs. Henry E. Johnson of Amherst, Mass., with her granddaughter Phyllis are visiting at W. H. Ward's.

Miss Annie Fullington from Newport will spend commencement week with her father and brother Archie, here.

Mrs. George T. Archer from Montpelier, Oliver H. Woodward from Hartland, Mrs. E. W. Hadley from Whitefield, and Will, Bert, Charles and Miss Clara Houghton from Northfield, were called here last week by the death of Mrs. W. A. Woodward.

Among those who attended the county Sunday School convention at Ryegate yesterday were Rev. and Mrs. A. I. Dutton, Rev. A. F. Walsh, Mrs. John Balch, Mrs. C. A. Stanley, Miss Alice B. Warden, Miss Mary E. Stone, Rev. J. M. Frost, Mrs. C. H. Marshall, J. W. Sault, Mrs. C. H. Dempsey, J. O. Hale, Mrs. E. S. Truax, Supt. Aldrich of the Free Baptist Sunday School.

C. Sherman Calderwood, H. S. Dorrothy, Harry P. Gordon and Luther S. Jewett left yesterday for Averill Pond for a fishing trip.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Titcomb and two children arrived here from Washington Saturday. Mrs. Titcomb and the children will spend the summer at Judge Ross' and Mr. Titcomb returned to Washington Monday. He expects to spend most of the summer in Washington and leaves for his new post in the Argentine Republic early in September.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Taplin and infant son of Brooklyn, N. Y., are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Taplin.

Philip Thompson returned Saturday from the Rockland Military Academy, where he graduated last week with the rank of valedictorian.

Mrs. P. G. Fletcher of Burlington and Mrs. C. G. Carleton of Waterville, Maine, are visiting their sister, Mrs. George E. Goodall.

Mrs. J. P. Wescott and daughter are at her father's E. P. Moulton, for the month of June.

Mrs. Claude Powers of Greenfield, Mass., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. W. Balch.

Miss Lucille Robinson of Morrisville spent a few days last week with her friend, Miss Ouida Johnson.

Augustus Clark of Schenectady, N. Y., St. J. Academy '94, is spending commencement week here. He is now employed by the General Electric Co. at Schenectady.

Master Nield Montgomery is at his grandparents' at Abercorn, Que., where he will spend the summer.

Mrs. David Williams is spending a few weeks in Lawrence and Boston.

Rev. Dr. Charles Pickells is attending the Diocesan convention at Rutland this week.

Judge Henry C. Ide and the Misses Ide left yesterday to attend commencements at Tufts and Harvard.

Invitations have been received to the wedding of Herbert M. Wilcox and Miss Agnes M. Somerville, which will take place June 24 at the home of the bride's brother, A. W. Somerville, at Newtonville, Mass.

Invitations have been received to the wedding of Rev. Carl Martel Gates, formerly of St. Johnsbury, and Miss Catherine Rossiter Bisbee, which takes place in the College church at Hanover, N. H., Thursday, July 2, at twelve o'clock.

L. F. Gaskill returned Friday from a two months' trip to Millard, N. H., Boston and Cambridge. Mrs. Gaskill spent two weeks with him, also returning Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Brown have been spending several days at Reading, and spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brooks at Wilder.

Arthur Hawley, who has employment with the Thompson-Houston Electric Co., at Lynn, Mass., is spending the week with his parents.

Paul Jarvis has gone to Quebec to spend a month with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gauthier are visiting relatives in Canada.

Charles W. Farr was in Newport part of the past week on business.

John Tardis is visiting in Laconia this week.

Napoleon Corriveau is in Manchester this week on business.

Leonie and Antoinette Prevost are visiting relatives in Montreal.

Miss Myra Parker has returned to her home in Morrisville.

David A. Hastings goes to Holyoke today to live.

Miss Agnes M. Bullard caters today at the Clark-Green wedding at Newport and Sunday for the B. & M. railroad officials on the Lake of the Lake on Lake Memphremagog.

Eugene Lachance spent Sunday with friends in Sherbrooke.

Johnston Stanley is at home from his school work at Cornell.

Jason M. Cady has been spending a few days in New York.

George Pierce came home from the U. V. M. at Burlington, last week.

Mrs. Melvin G. Morse of Hardwick spent Sunday with friends in town.

Philip A. Fletcher is confined to the house by illness.

Eugene G. Gustin from New York is visiting his mother and other relatives here.

Many friends regret that Col. Dennis E. May is confined to the house by ill health, and hope for him a speedy recovery.

Miss Anna MacSomerville has returned from a trip through the Provinces where she accompanied the Boston Sextette Club as soprano soloist. Of the concert in Halifax the Journal says: "Miss Somerville is one of the best vocalists that Halifax has heard this year. She has a full sweet voice, a charming stage presence and sings with ease and good expression. Her song, 'Heaven Hath Shed a Tear,' was a gem."

Elmore T. Ide has been confined to the house several days because of illness.

Mrs. L. C. Spencer is visiting relatives in Monroe.

George H. Cross went to Stowe last Wednesday to attend the annual meeting and dinner of the Mount Mansfield Trout Club. This is one of the most noted clubs in the state and its pond is most beautifully located.

Ernest Morrill has returned from Winnipeg and will be employed during the summer driving a hack for Austin Morrill.

Col. and Mrs. John C. Clark returned from their western trip Thursday and were detained in Kansas City a week by the terrible flood. During that time no trains arrived or left the city except occasional trains on the Alton road to St. Louis, and this service was very irregular. The big union depot was eight feet under water, the packing houses were flooded and business was generally demoralized. The water supply, all electric lights and gas was cut off for the week and taken altogether it was about as thrilling an experience as a traveller experiences.

John Cameron of Salt Lake City is visiting his friends here and in this vicinity. Mr. Cameron and his son John spent a portion of the winter in California.

Village Fleetings.

The adjourned annual village meeting will be held in the Town Hall Monday afternoon, July 6, at 2 o'clock, when the vote will be taken to raise money for the expenses of the year.

Following this meeting the village trustees have called a special meeting to take action on the proposed new by-laws. These by-laws are published in our advertising columns and have been prepared by the best legal talent obtainable, in consultation with the village trustees.

COUNTY COURT NEWS.

Mrs. Jennie Aldrich Pleads "Not Guilty" on the Charge of Murder and Her Trial Set for next Monday.—The Grand Jury Recommended a New Jail nearer the Court House.

The case on trial last Wednesday was T. F. Doyle v. George Caldwell in general assumpsit. The suit was brought to recover wages for Doyle and wife claimed due for about six months' work in a cigar factory. The jury brought in a verdict for the plaintiff to recover \$281.94, with costs and interest. Hill and May were the attorneys for Doyle and Howe and Blodgett for Caldwell.

The case of Leona Bernard v. Joseph Gagnon for bastardy was to be tried Wednesday, but after a jury was drawn the case was settled without trial. G. C. Frye was the attorney for Bernard and Howe for Gagnon.

The grand jury through its foreman, N. P. Bowman, again reported Wednesday with one true bill found and one bill not found. The true bill found was an indictment against Freeman T. Worton for forgery. Worton has since been apprehended and bail was fixed at \$300 which was furnished by Joseph Cloutier. The grand jury also brought in at this time their report on the condition of the county jail. Below is a copy of the report.

"We have visited the county jail, and have made a careful and thorough examination in the condition of said jail, and find the same to be kept neat and clean, the sanitary conditions good, considering the location, the building safe, and everything possible being done for the comfort of the prisoners.

We would recommend that the county needs a more convenient building for a jail—the location of same to be nearer the Court House—and more modern in its structure and appointments.

The grand jury having finished their work were then discharged.

Thursday morning Wallace Ainsworth was arraigned on the charge of assault and breach of the peace and pleaded not guilty. It will be remembered that Ainsworth committed brutal assaults upon Miles S. Hovey on the night of February 3 and the afternoon of February 4. This case caused much excitement in Sumnerville at the time. The jury were empanelled Thursday and the case given them for their consideration Friday noon. Friday afternoon they brought in a verdict of guilty in both counts. Ainsworth wished to be sentenced at once and he was sentenced to not less than two and not more than three years and to pay costs of prosecution in the House of Correction at Rutland. State's Attorney Morse assisted by Harland B. Howe prosecuted for the state and Porter and Simonds were the defendant's attorneys.

Friday afternoon Mrs. Jennie Aldrich was arraigned on the charge of murder of Mrs. Joseph Massey of East Hardwick. After the indictment was read Mrs. Aldrich replied "I am not guilty." The case has been assigned for trial June 22. The state will be represented by State's Attorney Morse, assisted by his law partner, B. E. Bullard, and Alexander Dunnett. The attorneys for the respondent are Taylor and Dutton.

The case of State v. Henry Tolbot for grand larceny of \$60 from Francis Felix in Walden is now being tried. Tolbot was arraigned and pleaded not guilty. The case will probably be finished by this noon. State's Attorney Morse, assisted by B. E. Bullard, prosecuted, and Dutton and Simonds are attorneys for Tolbot.

Tuesday E. W. Eastman was arrested for alleged keeping of a disorderly house. Bail was fixed at \$1,000 and furnished.

Pupils' Recital.

A large and appreciative audience gathered in Pythian Hall Saturday evening to listen to a piano recital given by the pupils of B. Frank Harris, assisted by Miss Ethel F. Abbott, soloist. The young people did themselves great credit and their work showed the results of careful and artistic training. During the evening piano solos were rendered by Carroll E. Sparhawk, Ralph H. Smith, Gladys Harlow, Isabel F. Pollens, Eldredge French, Edith M. Dean, Emma S. Hallett, Bertha M. Daniels, Hugh A. Mackinnon, Henri J. Weber, Helen M. Wakefield, Louise B. Tyler, E. Mildred Pray and Jean M. Stanley. A vocal solo was given by Misses Jean W. Darling and Gratia Balch and the closing piece was the overture from Mendelssohn's "Ruy Blas" by Misses E. Mildred Pray, Jean L. Stanley, Maude E. Brown and Mr. Harris. Miss Abbott appeared twice on the program and her singing, which has always been appreciated in her own town, elicited hearty applause. Her voice showed both strength and purity in tone and much improvement as a result of her winter's work.

Miss Dugan's Recital.

An appreciative audience gathered at the home of Miss Alice Parkhurst, Monday evening, to listen to a musical recital given by the pupils of Miss Katherine J. Dugan, assisted by Miss Lillian M. Ryan, accompanist, and Mr. Burroughs, violinist. During the evening piano solos were given by Misses Agnes Foye, Madeline Clark, Alice Brown, Gertrude Caldwell, Alice Parkhurst and Miss Drew; vocal solos by Misses Lena Brown, Ethel Moore and Maude Caldwell. The last number on the program was a vocal duet by Misses Maude Caldwell and Ethel Moore and was a very pleasing feature of the program. The work of the young people showed the wonderful skill and accuracy of Miss Dugan as a teacher in both vocal and instrumental music. Punct was served and after a social half hour the company departed, much pleased with the evening's program.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our thanks to all those who so kindly assisted during the sickness and death of our father; also to our friends to the scale factory who sent the beautiful flowers, which were appreciated so much.

Mr. and Mrs. A. GRENIER.
St. Johnsbury, Vt., June 16, 1903.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to the kind neighbors and friends who have assisted us by their thoughtfulness and sympathy during the illness of our wife and daughter.

W. A. WOODWARD.
Mrs. WILLIAM DANIELS.
St. Johnsbury, Vt., June 16, 1903.

Fad Foods Worthless.

Prominent Physical Director says Malt Breakfast Food is only a Fad.

One of the ablest professors of physical culture in the country, who is in charge of nearly two thousand young men, in a recent interview said: "The great body of fad foods that are so extensively advertised are utterly worthless for nourishment. In many cases of these ready-to-serve cereals the nourishment is all cooked out of them when the food is put up in the package. Cereals like these, that are eaten cold and dry, lay on one's stomach like so much sawdust, or a poultice. The one exception is Malt Breakfast Food, and as soon as its merits are appreciated by physical directors it will be the most popular of all foods. It is to be cooked in the home, and when served for breakfast is most appetizing and delicious. I shall recommend it in all my classes; for proper food is most important in the battle for strength and health."

This is strong language, but it is undoubtedly true. Talk over the question of food with your physician, or your physical director, and he will undoubtedly tell you that cold, chippy, ready-cooked foods are doing more to injure the health and cause dyspepsia than anything else.

A warm dish of Malt Breakfast Food is the right breaker to begin the day; it supplies the stomach with vitality and strength, and by its nourishment and facilities, both mental and physical.

Births.

At St. Johnsbury, June 10, a son to Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Lynch.

At Bradford, June 8, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Paton.

At West Danville, June 3, twin sons to Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Ayer.

At St. Johnsbury, June 13, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lanctot.

Marriages.

At West Concord, June 5, by Rev. P. N. Ganger, Herbert J. Daniels and Maude H. Howard.

At St. Johnsbury, June 15, by Rev. J. M. Frost, Harry Frederick Colbath and Miss Annie May Cady, both of St. Johnsbury.

At Hart Center, June 10, by Rev. Stephen P. Brownell, S. T. D., Elmer A. Somers and Miss Elizabeth F. Brock.

At Barton Landing, June 10, by Rev. Joseph B. Lyman, Guy M. Winslow and Miss Clara M. Austin.

Deaths.

At St. Johnsbury, June 11, Mrs. W. A. Woodward, aged 27 years.

At South Ryegate, June 14, J. R. McAllister. At Marshfield, June 12, J. E. Eddy, aged nearly 82 years.

At New Hampton, N. H., June 10, Milo Goodell, formerly of Passumpsic.

At St. Johnsbury, June 13, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lanctot.

At Bradford, June 14, William Brown.

Report of the Condition OF THE First National Bank

At St. Johnsbury, in the State of Vermont, at the close of business, June 9th, 1903.

RESOURCES.
Loans and discounts \$346,042.46
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation 200,000.00
U. S. Bonds to secure U. S. Depos. 100,000.00
Its
Premiums on U. S. Bonds 38,187.50
Stocks, securities, etc. 108,931.25
Banking-house, furniture, fixtures 15,500.00
Other real estate owned 21,500.00
Due from National Banks (not Reserve accounts) 12,982.52
Due from approved reserve agents 27,282.94
Checks and other cash items 5,381.13
Notes of other National Banks 6,470.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents 19.31
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz: Specie 12,839.50
Legal-tender notes 1,237.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer, five per cent of circulation, 10,000.00
Total \$907,373.61

LIABILITIES.
Capital stock paid in \$300,000.00
Surplus fund 32,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid, 10,353.98
National Bank Notes outstanding 200,000.00
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks 25,413.84
Dividends unpaid 92.00
Individual Deposits subject to check 166,552.97
Demand certificates of deposit 2,700.00
Cashier's checks outstanding 120.50
U. S. deposits 100,000.00
Notes and bills rediscounted 15,140.26
Bills payable, including certificates of deposit for money borrowed, 55,000.00
Total \$907,373.61

STATE OF VERMONT,
Caledonia County, ss.
I, HOMER E. SMITH, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
HOMER E. SMITH, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of June, 1903.
RICHARD C. BAKER, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
H. McLEOD,
WALTER P. SMITH, } Directors.
FRANK H. BROOKS.

Report of the Condition OF THE Caledonia National Bank

At Danville, in the State of Vermont, at the close of business, June 9, 1903.

RESOURCES.
Loans and discounts \$185,461.36
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured 1,330.30
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation 100,000.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds 4,350.00
Banking-house, furniture, fixtures 5,600.00
Due from State Banks and Bankers 289.64
Due from approved reserve agents 18,710.18
Internal Revenue stamps 8.03
Notes of other National Banks 200.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents 105.00
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz: Specie \$2,025.65
Legal-tender notes 2,600.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer, (5 per cent of circulation,) 5,000.00
Total \$322,487.16

LIABILITIES.
Capital stock paid in \$100,000.00
Surplus fund 19,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid, 2,286.27
National Bank notes outstanding 97,110.00
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks 102.26
Dividends unpaid 80.89
Individual Deposits subject to check 102,264.50
Demand certificates of deposit 318.00
Cashier's checks outstanding 1,325.24
Total \$322,487.16

STATE OF VERMONT,
Caledonia County, ss.
I, ASA WESSON, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
ASA WESSON, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of June, 1903.
Correct—Attest:
M. S. TOLMAN,
FRED B. STOCKER, } Directors.
PETER WESSON.

PRESENTS.

Pictures, silver ware, out glass, jewelry, books, etc.

F. E. ROWELL,
Corner Main Street and Eastern Avenue.

Civil Service Examinations.

The United States Civil Service commission announce the following examinations: June 23, illustrator in agroteology; assistant steam engineer; June 29 and 30, teacher, Philippine service; July 7, deputy shipping commissioner; Chinese watchman; July 7 and 8, game law assistant.

Particulars of the salaries of these positions and application forms may be obtained of Frank Lanctot, clerk of the local board, at the St. Johnsbury post-office.

WANTED, FOR SALE, ETC.

PIGS FOR SALE, also Creamery Wagon. L. H. Lucas, St. Johnsbury.

THE BROOKS-TYLER DRY GOODS CO., carry a full line of Boys Blouse Waists. All prices, .25, .50 and \$1.00.

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FOR SALE:—Millinery and fancy goods business with well established and fine trade. No competition. Address, MAUDE E. KENNEDY, Danville, Vt.

FOR SALE: Pneumatic wagon, Concord, cheap. Apply at this office.

TWO-TENEMENT house and two lots for sale. Mrs. JAMES GAFFNEY, 19 Water Street.

FOR SALE:—Light surrey, nearly new, top buggy in good condition. A. M. Goodrich.

WANTED:—Cooks, chambermaids and hall girls, at the Northampton Insane Hospital, Northampton, Mass. Apply to John A. Houston, Supt.

F. A. SCOTT & Co. want 15 cars of maple sugar, for which they will pay the highest market price.

WAGONS. I have a good stock of new wagons. Come in and look them over. B. F. WEEKS, 28 Pearl street.

WANTED:—Good laundresses. Enquire at once at the Avenue House.

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